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<TEXT>All too typically the FCC seems to favor and encourage
then heavy-handedness of a very few big communications moguls. I
do not want to pay more for my telephone service! I urge you to
reject a flat fee proposal that would change how contributions
are made to the Universal Service Fund. I am concerned that this
proposal puts an unfair burden on low volume long distance users
and and benefits only big business.

I use my wireless phone for safety, security and convenience, and emergency service only. I don't want to lose these benefits so that big businesses can pay less than their fair share. I urge you to reject the proposal to move the USF collection system to a flat-fee.

Keep the USF Fair!

Sincerely,

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